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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Central Kentucky Regional Airport (KRGA) General Aviation Terminal Construction Project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is Eastern Kentucky University, located at 521 Lancaster Avenue, Richmond, KY 40475.

The funding would be used to construct a general aviation terminal to accommodate the growing demands of the Central Kentucky Regional Airport (CKRA). This is to ensure that the CKRA can safely and effectively service the citizens, tourists, future pilots, and businesses of the Commonwealth. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will give the airport a terminal that can adequately accommodate CKRA's high volume of general aviation customers and aviation students as well as meet the needs of a modern-day pilot.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 49 U.S.C. 47100 et seq.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Andy Barr

Member of Congress